

**MONTANA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION  
TRANSPORTATION/CENTRALIZED SERVICES DIVISION  
AGENDA NO. 02-12-10**

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For Work Week Commencing: December 9, 2002  
Business Meeting: December 10, 2002, 9:00 a.m.

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**Work Sessions** All items identified below are for Commission discussion or action on the day designated.

1. Legislation/Budget – continuing discussion (12/10)

**Action Items** All items identified below are for action at the Commission business meeting.

1. T-02.104.ST (Wayne)

On October 24, 2002 John P. Bechuck dba V.I.P. Taxi Service, Livingston, Montana filed an application for transfer of Montana Intrastate Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity, PSC No. 5682, to V.I.P. Taxi Service, Inc., Livingston, Montana. The application was noticed to the public on November 14, 2002 and no protests were received.

Class B - Passengers and small packages between all points and places within Livingston, Montana and a fifty (50) mile radius thereof. Limitations: (1) Movements which both originate and terminate within Bozeman, Montana are prohibited. (2) Transportation service is restricted to cab or taxi service only. (3) Transportation service to be provided is restricted against utilizing vehicles in excess of eight (8) person capacity. (4) Transportation service to or from Gallatin Field in or near Belgrade, Montana, must originate or terminate in Livingston, Montana. (5) Transportation of Burlington Northern crews is prohibited. (6) Truck delivery service is prohibited.

SUB A Class C - Passengers between all points and places in the following counties: Broadwater, Gallatin, Granite, Jefferson, Lewis and Clark, Meagher, Mineral, Missoula, Park, Powell, Sanders, Stillwater, Sweetgrass, and Yellowstone. Limitation: (1) Transportation is limited to the account of Livingston Memorial Hospital or their successors in interest, and (2) Transportation in limousine service is prohibited.

SUB B Class B - Passengers and small packages between all points and places within Livingston, Montana and a one hundred twenty-five (125) mile radius thereof. Limitations: (1) Movements which both originate and terminate within Bozeman, Montana are prohibited. (2) Transportation service is restricted to cab or taxi service only. (3) Transportation service to be provided is restricted against utilizing vehicles in excess of eight (8) person capacity. (4) Transportation service to or from Gallatin Field in or near Belgrade, Montana, must originate or terminate in Livingston, Montana. (5) Transportation of Burlington Northern crews is prohibited. (6) Truck delivery service is prohibited.

ACTION:

2. TN2163 (Wayne)

Mark L. Foos dba Northwest Passage, Billings, Montana requests permission to continue the lease of PSC No. 9332 to Silver Eagle Shuttle, Inc., Billings, Montana for a twelve (12) month period, December 23, 2002 to December 23, 2003.

Class B - Passengers and their personal belongings between all points and places in the State of Montana. Limitations: (1) Transportation is restricted to that provided by vehicles with a rated seating capacity of eight or less. (2) Transportation must originate or terminate in Yellowstone County. (3) No passenger transportation services shall originate or terminate within Fergus, Judith Basin, Musselshell, Toole, Treasure, Stillwater, Carbon, and Big Horn Counties, with the exception of Fort Smith, Montana and a fifty (50) mile radius thereof. (4) Transportation utilizing luxury limousines or motor coach (bus) is prohibited. (5) Transportation of railroad personnel is prohibited. (6) Transportation movements which both originate and terminate within Billings, Montana and a fifty (50) mile radius thereof are prohibited. (7) Transportation may not originate within Flathead County.

ACTION:

3. TN2164 (Wayne)

Greyhound Lines, Inc., Dallas, Texas requests permission to continue self insure for liability insurance covering the first \$5,000,000 in losses. Coverage is placed with an insurance company for excess coverage beyond the minimum requirement of \$5,000,000. If approved this self-insurance for liability purposes will expire on October 1, 2003.

ACTION:

4. Approval of Commission Minutes (Wayne)

Approval of the Commission Minutes for the week of December 2, 2002.

ACTION: